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1. Communist POW Camp for UN Prisoners Reported in UkraineWringer Report
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A fairly reliable source has reported the possible establishment of a Communist POW Camp near Zdolbunuv (50-31N 26-16E) in the Ukraine. Reportedly the camp was rehabilitated

Pow camp for
UN Prisoners
is unusual

in 1950 for the purpose of confining UN Prisoners of war. At about the same time the source heard of the recruiting of a special guard company in the area allegedly as POW Camp guards. In April 1951 a former major of the Soviet Army, Kuczinsky, revealed to the source that United States and South Korean prisoners would soon be interned in the Zdolbunuv camp.

Comment: The source of this information is regarded as fairly reliable based on the accuracy of other reports. It is doubtful if the Soviets would risk the legal implications involved in confining UN Prisoners of war in the USSR proper.

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